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Sir:

This Reply is being filed in response to the Office Action made final, mailed from the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office on June 22, 2010 in the above-identified application. A Petition to extend the shortened statutory period for replying to the Office Action for three (3) months from September 22, 2010 to December 22, 2010, and the appropriate fee, are being filed concurrently with this Reply. Applicants are filing a Request for Continued Examination (RCE) in the above-identified application. This Reply accompanies the RCE.

Please amend the application as follows: